

KREIDER GARY P  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KREIDER GARY P**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MERIDIAN BIOSCIENCE INC  
 [VIVO]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 1356-1 US 52  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/18/2004

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

NEW RICHMOND, OH 45157  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
 11/22/2004

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/18/2004		M	2,317 A \$ 9.88	22,944	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2004		S	2,317 D \$ 15.41	20,627	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2004		G	65 A \$ 0	20,692	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2004		G	70 A \$ 0	20,762	D	
Common Stock	11/19/2004		M	2,317 A \$ 12.625	23,079	D	

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Common Stock	11/19/2004	S	2,317	D	\$ 15.99	20,762	D	
Common Stock						5,122 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	As Trustee for Nancy Volk Trust
Common Stock						1,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	As Custodian for children
Common Stock						145 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By spouse

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 9.88	11/18/2004		M	2,317	01/21/1996 01/24/2006	Common Stock	2,317	
Stock Option (Option to Buy)	\$ 12.625	11/19/2004		M	2,317	01/23/1997 01/22/2007	Common Stock	2,317	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KREIDER GARY P  
1356-1 US 52 X  
NEW RICHMOND, OH 45157

## Signatures

Gary P. Kreider 07/22/2005

    Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) Indirect share holdings mistakenly omitted from originally filed Form 4. No transactions were made with respect to these holdings.

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